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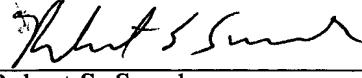
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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, a copy of each of the documents cited are enclosed.

U.S. Patent No. 5,128,196 to Luetkens, Jr. et al, issued July 7, 1992;
European Patent No. 0 590 465, issued April 6, 1994;
Swedish Patent No. 468 635, issued February 22, 1993 (English Abstract Attached);
Swedish Patent No. 7315730-7, issued November 10, 1975; and
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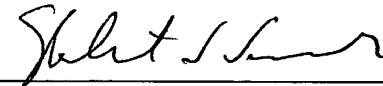
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To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

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